

Music Collection

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Summary Information

Repository	Enoch Pratt Free Library Special Collections
Creator	Enoch Pratt Free Library. Fine Arts Department.
Title	Music Collection
Date	1882-1898
Extent	0.25 Linear feet
Language	English
Mixed materials [Box]	1
Container	1-8
Abstract	The Music Collection dates from the late 19th-20th c. It consists of a variety of sheet music, song books and music scores as well as music programs for performances. The collection can be located in an in-house database.

Scope and Contents note

The Music Collection (1882? – 1898?) was originally housed in the Miscellaneous Collection of the Special Collections department at the Enoch Pratt Free Library. It consists of sheet music, scores, lyrics, and pamphlets and programs from music festivals. The first series features sheet music for bands and a musical play. The second series contains a song book of German music and a four part song book for male voices with a piano score. Although many of these items relate directly to Maryland, there is a musical and lyrical piano arrangement influenced by an Asian style of music. The final series consists of music programmes of which two are from a Saengerfest. It also contains programmes for music festivals and an anniversary concert for the employees of Chas. M. Stieff.

Arrangement note

The Music Collection dates from the late 19th-early 20thc., and is arranged into three series. These include: sheet music, song books and music scores as well as music programmes. Each series does not contain any inherent order of the items.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Enoch Pratt Free Library Special Collections

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Conditions Governing Use note

Unrestricted, open by appointment.

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Enoch Pratt Archives.
- Enoch Pratt Free Library.
- National Saengerfest of the Nord Oestliche Saengerbund of America.
- Shannon's Band.

Genre(s)

- Concerts
- Piano scores
- scores
- Sheet music
- songbooks

Personal Name(s)

- Liebhart, H. (Henry), 1832-1895
- Reese, Kathryn M.
- Stieff, Chas. M.
- Teal, Ben
- Thomas, Theodore, 1835-1905
- Wheeler, A. C.
- Williard, John D.

Series I: Sheet Music Collection

Collection Inventory

Series I: Sheet Music Collection		Box 1
	Box	Folder
Battle of the Long Island March played by Shannon's Band, composed by Kathryn M. Reese (copy 6, 7, 8)	1	1
The Rich Mr. Hoggenheimer staged by Ben Teal	1	2
Series II: Song Books and/or Music Scores		
	Box	Folder
Neue Harfe Sang und Klang fuer Schule und Haus, H. Liebhart, Cincinnati, December 1871	1	3
Arion: a Collection of Four Part songs for Male Voices in Separate Vocal Parts with Piano Score mainly to be sung without Accompaniment. Compiled by John D. Willard. Boston, MA, 1862	1	4
Series III: Music Programmes		
	Box	Folder
Programme of the 56th Anniversary (1842-1898) of the Employees of Chas. M. Stieff, July 25, 1898. Electric Park, Baltimore, MD. (2 copies)	1	5
General note		

Series III: Music Programmes

The programme features the Star-Spangled Banner and other Popular Airs.

Official Souvenir Program 23rd National Saengerfest of the Nord Oestliche Saengerbund of america, Philadelphia, June 29-July 4, 1912	1	6
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Music Festival, 1882 Theodore Thomas, Director; Descriptive Programme by A. C. Wheeler, 1882 (2 copies)	1	7
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Daily Program of the Afternoon & Evening Concert of the 26th Saengerfest, February 12-15, 1890	1	8
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